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WHAT IS GOOD.
"What is the real good?"
I asked in musing mood.
"Order," said the law court;
"Knowledge," said the school;
"Truth," said the wise man;
"Pleasure," said the fool;
"Love," said the maiden;
"Beauty," said the sage;
"Freedom," said the dreamer;
"Home," said the seer;
"Fame," said the soldier;
"Equality," said the seer;
"Spoke my heart early;
"The answer is not here."
Then with my bosom
Softly this I heard;
"Each heart holds the secret;
"Kindness is the word."
—John Boyle O'Reilly.

Mr. S. A. Fackler, Editor of the
Micanopy (Fla) Hustler, with his wife
and children, suffered terribly from
La Grippe. One Minute Cough Cure
was the only remedy that helped them.
It acted quickly. Thousands of others
use this remedy as a specific for La
Grippe, and its exhausting after effects.
Douglas & Wells.

LETTER FROM DR. W. P. LAWRENCE.

Y. F. HOSPITAL,
1ST BRIG. DIV., 1ST A. C.,
SACRED SPIRITUS CURA
DEC. 29, 1898.

MY DEAR MOTHER:
After landing at San Juan I took the
yellow fever car and started out to find
a camp site. A Cuban doctor accom-
panied me to pilot me to a suitable spot.
We went 10 or 12 miles inland and stop-
ped at the place he had reference to. Of
all the places I ever saw this was the
worst one for a camp. Low, flat and
with grass higher than my head and
alive with mosquitoes. I explained that
was not the place I was looking for and
we moved further on and stopped again.
This place was but little better than the
first and as night was approaching I
concluded I would go back and take an
early start the following day, the Cuban
promising to get a house for me for my-
self and patient for the night, which he
did.

Next morning with my outfit consist-
ing of one yellow fever case and six
others who had been exposed to infection
and were to be kept by me for 5
days in detention camp, I took 3 nurses
and three hospital corps men, with
tents, provisions, clothing, and all the
medicine we started, and located a
camp on the Cajonana River about
nine miles from San Juan. Tents
were pitched in grass three feet high
and patients put in them when night
came. I slept in an empty car.

Then came the work of cleaning up
the ground, six Cubans who had
machetes were employed to clear up.
In a few days I had everything in ship
shape, my patient doing nicely and no
other developments, I had time to look
around.

Our camp was situated on high rolling
ground near the bank of the river
named above, in fine view of the moun-
tains near San Juan. The water of
the river was clear as glass and I could
see fish of the perch variety in all the
deep places. The banks of the stream
were covered with tropical palms, etc.
Strange birds, parrots and other
kind kept the echo ringing with their
wild notes; familiar sounds, the quail's
call and peck track quince hens brought
me nearer home. Ruins of old build-
ings of some pretension showed that in
former days this part of the Island had
been cultivated; but now, palm thick-
ets and bushes hid the ruins, and the
kindred kindred of the tale of Robin-
son and Friday. Over half the popu-
lation I saw suffering from calentura (chill
and fever) I held a levee each day and
ministered to their many ailments, the
greater proportion were suffering from
malaria and starvation. To see a grown
man, skin and bone only, who could
eat and swallow it reminded me of
"Old Joe" dog and the breakfast bone.
After staying here until day after
Christmas the sick being well again, we
moved the hospital to my present loca-
tion three miles north of San Juan, on
one-half mile from the Tennessee
camp, on a new island made by two
creeks (names unknown). I have a
beautiful location and I think as healthy
as can be found in the island. I have

ROYAL BAKING
POWDER
ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

not quite got my camp to my notion,
but am ready for the reception of yel-
low fever patients when they present
themselves.
San Juan Spiritus is like all Cuban
cities I have seen. It is thick with
grated windows, narrow streets and
poverty and filth. A young Cuban lives
here and he assures me that every
house in the city has had yellow fever
in it (with the exception of the one
now occupied by Gen. Snyder and staff)
within two years. So you see my chances
of doing business here is very good,
especially when those wild Tennessee
"Hill Billies" get paid off. If they
would keep out of buildings and stay
in camp their chances to escape the
disease would be much better, but
soldiers will be soldiers, and they must
take their medicine even if it is bitter.

The weather is perfectly delightful
except in the sun during the middle of
the day. This a. m. the temperature
was 65 degrees at noon 80 degrees, at
6 p. m. 72; this about the average.

Delightful breezes blow all day long,
and in the shade I feel very comfort-
able in the shade with woolen shirt and
trousers.
Mosquitoes would trouble me if I
did not smoke them out of the tent at
night before letting down the walls.
Black gnats, red bugs and fleas are
great nuisances, no remedy against them,
have to grin and endure.

I have learned to cuss in Spanish,
think it has better effect on Cuban
brothers and does not seem to hurt my
conscience so much as old style cuss
words do. I have employed a native
as my valet and am learning to speak
Spanish quite fluently for me. I
may bring him (my valet) back home
with me as he is inexpensive (virtually
and clothes.) I have quite a number of
interesting things, among others I
have a bottle (water jug) made of por-
celain which by constant cooling of the
pore keeps the surface of the bottle
cool, and this by being fastened
by the breeze causes rapid evaporation
thereby cooling the surface of the jug
and consequently the contents.

I have a black mule to ride and
generally go to town every morning to
report to my commanding officer.
My candle is getting low so must bid
you all good night, with best love to
all and yourself and papa in particular.
Wishing you a merry Christmas and
happy New Year, I am, as always,
Your affectionate son,
W. P. LAWRENCE.

A NARROW ESCAPE.
Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada
E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken
with a bad cold which settled on my
lungs, cough set in and finally termi-
nated in Consumption. Four Doctors
gave up saying I could live but a
short time. I gave myself up to my
Savior, determined if I could not stay
with my friends on earth, I would meet
my absent ones above. My husband
was advised to get Dr. King's New Dis-
covery for Consumption, Coughs, Colds.
I gave a trial, took in all, eight bottles.
It has cured me, and this is being fast-
ened on now a well and healthy
woman." Trial bottles free at Perry and
Thomas Drug Store. Regular size 50c
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the human system by the skill of the
world's great chemists; and one of the
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Figs manufactured by the California
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Figs is permanently beneficial in its
effects, and therefore lives and pro-
motes good health, while inferior pre-
parations are being cast aside and for-
gotten. In olden times if a remedy
gave temporary relief to individuals
here and there, it was thought good;
but now a day's laxative remedy must
give satisfaction to all. If you have
never used Syrup of Figs, give it a trial,
and you will be pleased with it, and
will recommend it to your friends or
any who suffer from constipation, or
from over-eating, or from colds, head-
aches, biliousness, or other ills result-
ing from an inactive condition of the
kidneys, liver and bowels.

In the process of manufacturing the
pleasant family laxative made by the
California Fig Syrup Co., named
Syrup of Figs, are used, as they are
pleasant to the taste; but the medicinal
properties of the remedy are obtained
from an excellent combination of
plants known to be medicinal laxa-
tives and to act most beneficially. As
the true and original remedy, named
Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the
California Fig Syrup Co. only, a
knowledge of that fact will assist in
avoiding the worthless imitations man-
ufactured by other parties. The Com-
pany has selected for years past the
leading publications of the United States
through which to inform the public of
the merits of its remedy, and among
them the CLIMAX is included, as will
be seen by reference to its advertising
columns.

FIRMNESS.
Jones—Dear me! You say you often
lay down the law to your wife. How
do you go about it?
Bones—Why, all you need is firm-
ness. I usually go into my study, lock
the door and do it over the transom;
all you need is firmness—in the door!

—Puck.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS OF GENERAL
INTEREST.
(Courier-Journal, 2-11-99.)
Louisville.—Will you kindly enu-
merate some of the notable cold spells in
history?
S. R. A.
The first cold snap of which there
appears to be any authentic record oc-
curred in the year 406, when the Baltic
Sea was frozen over for twenty days.
From October, 763, to the following
February the seas about Constantinople
were frozen a hundred miles from
shore. A cold wave is said to have
swept over England on a midsummer
day in 1085. In 1083 the Thames was
frozen over for fourteen weeks. From
November, 1076, till the following April,
England had exceptionally cold weather.
The Cottage was entirely frozen in
1294. In 1433 the cold was so intense
that the birds sought shelter in the
houses of Germany. In 1499 the Thames
was frozen and passengers crossed be-
tween Denmark and Sweden. In 1594
the Rhine and the Scheldt and the sea
at Venice were frozen. All the rivers
of Europe and the Zuyder-Zee were
frozen and ice was in the Hellespont
in 1622. Birds perished in England,
the forest trees were split and the
waters were covered with eleven inches
of ice in 1684. In 1691, the cold drove
the wolves into Vienna, where they
attacked people in the streets. The win-
ter of 1788-89 was a hard one through-
out Europe. The winters of 1810 and
1812 were severe in Russia. That of 1812
was rendered especially notable by the
awful Russian campaign of Napoleon.
On January 2, 1819, the cold was so in-
tense in parts of Norway that quick-
silver froze and persons exposed to the
atmosphere lost their breath. In 1855
the cold was severe in the United
States, the mercury congeling in
Northern Indiana in January. The
cold was also notable in January and
February, 1856; December 2, 1890; Jan-
uary 5, 1891; December, 1874, and Jan-
uary, 1881.

Spain's Greatest Need.
Mr. R. P. Oliva, of Barcelona, Spain,
spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak
nerves had caused severe pains in the
back of his head. On using Electric
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Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him.
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country needs. All America knows
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ach, strengthens the nerves, puts vigor
and new life into every muscle,
nerve and organ of the body. If weak,
tired or ailing you need it. Every bot-
tle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Sold by
Perry & Thomas, Drugists.

NEW YORK FASHIONS.

A chic costume is of drab Swedish
cloth with self bands and black velvet
bows as trimming.
Many of the high stock collars in
vogue have cascades of iridescent beads
draping from the front, almost to the
belly.

Earrings are actually returning to
favor. The daintiest ones in vogue are
pear-shaped dropped pearls, surmounted
by a single diamond.

Linen laces have been shelved by
point de Paris and Valenciennes for
trimming underskirts.

All of the charming Spring dresses
shown by Best & Co. for little girls,
reveal, if possible, a greater wealth of
shoulder ruffling and general butter-
flyishness than ever. The sleeves, too,
are full enough to look pretty and
comfortable.

Bordered silks both plain and figured,
are shown among Spring novelties.

Narrow shirred ribbons are as pre-
valent among trimmings as ever.
They give a dainty finish to any gar-
ment, and fill in deficiencies most
beautifully.

Some very exclusive designs appear
in the new lengths for ladies' shirt
waists.

Black is always in good taste for street
wear. Spring costumes of light-weight
black camel's hair serge are very deir-
able.

Taffeta silk shirt waists are made
very attractive by the addition of crys-
tal buttons. EVELYN CARLE.

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immediately relieved and quickly cured
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ware of worthless imitations. Doug-
las & Wells.

EVERYTHING GOES WRONG AT BEAR-
WALLOW.

Bearwallow, although only a wide
place in the pike where wagons pass
each other, or as Dan Dougherty once
said of Middleborough—that it was a
cackling station for migratory birds—
is capable of as many misfortunes,
as appears, as any city of a hundred times
its size.

It is interesting to note what
has befallen the village, as portrayed by
our correspondent, Col. G. D. Hill.
Here follow the frascos:

Isaac Ogg's fine work horse died last
week.
J. S. Ogg cut his foot badly last week.
L. R. Hick's prophecy, that rain would
fall so heavily as to break in house-
tops, has been verified: Clifton
Benge's kitchen fell, breaking the furni-
ture badly.

'Squire Young's chimney fell to-day.
J. A. Linn came very near getting his
right ear broken (during the
fire) but escaped unhurt.

We are suffering awfully from bad
roads.
S. M. Graves' son fell from a mule
Tuesday with painful results.
S. M. Graves is very low.
Mrs. J. Adams is very ill.

We pause here for breath, hoping
that the calamities that have befallen
Bearwallow citizens will be sufficiently
stayed to permit of their recuperation,
else the little hamlet will be wiped off
the map.

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lungs. One Minute Cough Cure
loosens the cold, allays coughing and
heals quickly. The best cure for
children. Douglas & Wells.

BAD BUSINESS.
An old graveyard digger who lived
in a village at the foot of the Grampians
was one day complaining about the
dullness of times. "Man, John, is
trade that bad?" "Yes," said a sym-
pathetic neighbor. "Bad," returned
John, bringing his hat down with an
impatient gesture, "I have nae
levvin' sowl this sax weeks!"—N. Y.
Tribune.

MARRIED.

MATLACK—Captain Frank Matlack, a
widely known passenger conductor on
the Cincinnati Southern, died last
Wednesday morning in Covington.
Deceased is a brother of Capt. Tom
Matlack, a popular conductor on the
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me with the very best results.

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stant. Experiments of all kinds are
continually made without result for
good. Ignorance of the causes and
nature of catarrh is universal. Catarrh
is elusive, persistent, pernicious. It
may exist in any organ of the body.
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250,000 CURED
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American Republic during the late
Civil War in that country, should be
continued down to a future

JUST A FEW DAYS LONGER

—And our GREAT SWEEP OUT SALE will be crowded out by our immense stock of—

SPRING GOODS WHICH WILL SOON BE

IN. Our CUT PRICE SALE has been a grand success. The public has been treated to a feast of bargains. Our only aim was to clear out our stock of Winter Goods, and make ready for our immense Spring Line. We have a variety of bargains still left, which are being taken very fast. If you haven't taken advantage of this sale you want to do so at once as the invitation is extended to all. Remember this CUT PRICE SALE includes everything in the way of Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Underwear and Neckwear. Do not fail to call and see the great cut in prices we are making on Hats. Yours for good goods at low prices.

RICE & ARNOLD,

(SUCCESSORS TO WALLACE & RICE.)

The Richmond Climax.

WEDNESDAY, MCH. 8, - 1899.

—Dr. Hobson, Dentist.

—The best smoker, the Proctor Knott cigar.

—Many farmers are not yet done gathering their corn.

—What is looking well considering the time it was sown.

—Sell your hides and buy your seed potatoes at Thurman's.

—The total assessed valuation on the 71 miles of railway in Madison is \$561,900.

—Dr. L. H. Landman will be at Hotel Zimmer, this city, on Wednesday, March 8.

—The wills of the late Joe S. Boggs and Thos. Harris were probated on Monday.

—We pay the highest and sell for the lowest prices on earth. Thurman Grocery Co.

—J. D. Hill and Eliza Lane, of Big Hill, were married on Monday by Squire Turpin.

—Photo Buttons, the raging fad, 25c or 3 for 50c, at the new gallery, over Moberley's store. feb22-24

—Squire Nath Turpin declines to make the race for the Democratic Legislative nomination.

—Daughters of the Confederacy will meet with Mrs. J. M. Poyntz at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

—R. L. Potts has opened a general merchandise store at Scaytown with Eldridge Harris in charge.

—Bud Dunn, of Whites Station, was in Palaska last week and bought 20 head of yearling cattle at 4 cents.

—W. C. Fielder, of Lexington, is nursing a broken arm at the house of his father, D. Fielder, at Waco.

—Rev. T. S. Hubert will deliver his lecture on "Home Sweet Home," at Berea, Tuesday evening, March 14.

—Squire Turpin acted in place of Judge Sullivan at County Court Monday, the Judge being too ill to preside.

—Be sure and get your picture taken at the new photograph gallery over Moberley's furniture store. Photos for 25c. feb22-24

—If you are thinking of purchasing a Spring suit you should read Covington & Mitchell's advertisement and profit by it.

—The Watters Party, popular artists at Hotel Glyndon, are displaying new pictures in the show windows at Moberley's arcade.

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—Mr. Jake Shearer, of Red House, while crossing Otter Creek, on his way to Richmond, Monday, caught an eight pound red horse.

—Valley View boasts of another general merchandise store, and it is conducted by our wide-awake correspondent, J. L. Sowers.

—For twenty hours the creek at Red House was past fording on Saturday. More water than for years, says G. W. Deatherage, of that place.

—The new lock on the Kentucky river will be located at Valley View, below the railroad bridge. Work on it will commence about June 1.

—On account of rash in advertising, several news correspondents' letters were omitted from our last CLIMAX. They appear on fourth page this issue.

—In the absence of Judge Sullivan, on account of illness Hon. R. Harris Crooke was elected special judge during the session of quarterly court last week.

—Lightning struck the flagpole on the St. Benedict Memorial School at London on Monday while the school was in session. George Jackson, the janitor, was knocked down by the shock.

—Ex-Sheriff A. M. Scrivner, of Estill county, called at this office Monday and renewed his subscription for another year. Mr. Scrivner has been a subscriber ever since the foundation of this paper.

—Wagers & Cohen sold to Dan Mitchell, of Carlisle, 5 year old chestnut mare by C. H. Purcell 219½ dam by Rooster by Mambrino Patchin for \$500. J. W. Bales sold to same a nice brown 4 year old gelding for \$300.

—The Madison County Election Commissioners have decided that the local option election held last November in the Richmond, Union and Estill precincts is null and void.

The election was won by the temperance people. Now the County Board puts the whisky people on top again. —Livingston Colonel.

—Granville C. Clark, who lost his dwelling by fire in January last, received February 21, through Mr. J. W. Chaney, county agent, a check for \$1,000 from the Hurst Home Insurance Co., of Millersburg, Ky. Mr. Clark says that the claim was adjusted by Mr. Chaney and Dan S. Harber, which was satisfactory in every respect, in every particular, and recommends said company to all who desire first-class protection against fire, lightning and wind, at less than one-half the cost charged by old line companies.

—Proctor Knott Cigar.

—Partridges and other birds were frozen to death by the wholesale during the heavy freeze. After the snow melted they were found dead in flocks and coveys.

LOST!
A heavy plain gold ring. Return to this office and get liberal reward.

Frozen to Death.
A white man, name unknown, was found frozen to death near Millon yesterday morning.

Fire Near Kingston.
The new frame residence with all its contents, belonging to George Young, near Kingston, was burned on Sunday night. Loss \$1,000; no insurance.

Richmond Ladies.
Are delighted with the beautiful upholstery materials and artistic upholstery done by J. H. McCarty, in the old Stouffer room, opposite Court House.

Lost Umbrella.
At some place of business about two weeks ago I left an umbrella with a Celluloid handle, (broken). Finder return to J. H. Waters at Hotel Glyndon and receive liberal reward. feb22-24

Surplus Stock.
Apple trees at your own price, received at our Nurseries, for the next 45 days, and other stock at reduced rates. P. F. ADAMS & SON, mar8-14 Waco, Ky.

For Assessor.
G. W. Deatherage tells the CLIMAX that at the proper time he will announce for Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic party. He would make a good man for the place.

Fair Notice.
All persons indebted to the undersigned will please settle their accounts before the 20th of March, 1899, or will have to use means of force in their collection. W. H. MANSFIELD, mar8-24

Another Death From Meningitis.
Mrs. Samuel Roulware, of Kingston, died of spinal meningitis on Sunday, aged 44 years. This is the second death from meningitis in Madison in a week, the first being Mrs. W. B. Jones, near Kirksville.

Estill County Loses.
The decision of the Estill Circuit Court awarding the county \$8,000 damages against the N. E. & W. road, for constructing its right-of-way over some county highways, was on Wednesday last reversed by the Court of Appeals.

Wanted.
A hustler to sell an article offering good profit. A specialty for which there is a steady and increasing demand. No samples required. Good situation for right party. Only those meaning business need apply. Address Manufacturer, Cleveland, Ohio. feb19-24

Stock Barn Burned.
One night last week, about midnight, the stock barn of Mr. James D. Parks was destroyed by fire. No cause known. The barn was worth \$400; farming implements \$300; also a carload of cotton-seed meal. Mr. Ben Bowen is our informant.

State Auditor Stone is back from Washington City, where he went in the interest of Frank H. Johnson, of Louisville, candidate for National Bank Examiner. The Louisville Times claims that Johnson is one of the best endorsed candidates for the place.

Drowned in Taylor's Fork.
On his way home from this city Saturday night, Wm. Abshire, a well known farmer, was drowned while crossing Taylor's Fork. The stream was swollen by the late rains and the current carried the corpse several hundred yards below where Mr. Abshire attempted to cross.

Railway Assessment in Madison.
The Auditor reports about 42 miles of track of the L. & N. R. R. in Madison with a total assessed valuation of \$417,710.

Twenty-nine miles of track in the county, belonging to the E. N. & W. R. R. is assessed at \$152,250—a total railway valuation of \$569,960.

Singing School Organized.
Prof. R. C. Adams organized on Sunday night at the East End Christian church a singing class of about thirty pupils. We wish him success in his work he has undertaken and with the assistance of his class a great deal of good can be accomplished, and all interested will be benefited therefrom.

Fire Insurance Money Paid.
Granville Clark has received from the Hurst Home Insurance Co., of Millersburg, the full amount of his policy, \$1,000, on his house burned last January. The claim was adjusted by Director Dan S. Harber and Supt. Chaney, and Mr. Clark expressed the utmost satisfaction with the company's acts.

Highest Price at the Best House.
Harry S. Morgan sold his crop of tobacco at the Peoples House in Louisville recently. His crop sold for more money than any other tobacco that was offered that day and there were 1,000 bids, changed hands. He thinks this good price was greatly due to the energy and special attention given his crop in the warehouse by Messrs. Head and Rouse. Mr. Morgan says he advises everybody to ship to the Peoples House if they want to get the highest market prices.

WE HAVE PLENTY OF COAL.

And can fill orders promptly. Our Pine Knot and Straight Creek Coals can not be excelled. We also handle Hay, Corn, etc. Telephone 21, near R. N. I. & B. Depot. Terms. Strictly Cash.

NEFF & MILLION.

Shropshire Won.
Central University will be represented at Lexington by Mr. N. L. Shropshire, at the Late-collegiate Oratorical Contest, having been declared the winner of the preliminary last Friday night. Mr. O. C. Crooke, of this county, was awarded second honor. The contest was presided over by Mr. Harry Moffett, of Lebanon.

Grindstone Out of Whack.
Nearly every day we receive marked copies of papers urging Honorable So and So for some office at the fall election. It goes to show one of two things: There is either a world of money in holding office or there is a powerful class of men out of a job who can find nothing else to do. Any of these aspirants can have the customary card inserted in this paper at space rates, cash in advance, but the handle to our grindstone is lost and no axes can be ground at this office.—Lancaster Record.

Brilliant Concert in Prospect.
A number of our citizens are seeking to engage Mr. Powers, the brilliant New York vocalist, under whom Mrs. Lillie Logan Kean, of this city, has been studying during the past winter, in a concert to be given here in the near future in compliment to Mrs. Kean. Mrs. Kean's voice has met with unusual recognition from this distinguished teacher and also from the New York musical world, and it is much to be hoped that we shall have the privilege of enjoying so sure a pleasure.

A Card of Thanks.
The students of Madison Institute wish to express to the people of this community their cordial appreciation of and hearty thanks for the generous aid received by them in their undertaking on February 28. The donations were most generous and the patronage most liberal. Owing to the kindly interest and assistance of our friends in the town and county the "Week's Social" was a great success. We thank you.

Killed by the Electric Light Current.
Former Jailer J. L. Juett died at Cythiana from the effects of a severe electric shock. An electric light wire came in contact with an iron column in the new Hamilton Hotel and charged the entire building. Mr. Juett was leaving the hotel and stepped upon a zinc plate, and was knocked to the floor by the shock. He was taken to his residence, where he died in about fifteen minutes. Several other persons were shocked and the hotel was set on fire by the current, but no material damage was done to the building.

The company that operates the electric light plant at Cythiana is the same which has secured the franchise in this city.

Local Option Election Annulled.
The local option election, held last November, whereas a majority of the voters of three districts, Richmond, Union and Estill, voted in favor of "no license," has been declared null and void by the County Board of Election Commissioners, John B. Chennault and R. J. Clay sitting, W. A. Langford absent. The constitutionality of the vote was questioned, it being claimed by the friends of license that an election would not be binding, held as this was in three precincts at once, the majority to control. In other words that the voters of one section ought not say what the voters of another shall have. Accordingly the attorneys on both sides agreed to submit a statement of the case to the County Board, when a very pretty point in the new election law will be tested. The friends of no license, or local option, claim that the purpose of the Board is not such as to permit it to exercise the functions of the judiciary, which in this instance, it is claimed, it did. It is stated that the Board's jurisdiction ceases with a statement of the actual facts, that is that the election result as shown on the face of the returns, and from this option appeal may be taken. However, as the attorneys agreed to submit the entire question to the Board, the latter probably meant no usurpation but simply compliance with the request for their opinion, and allowed appeal therefrom.

Burns that Moberley and Crooke were attorneys for the saloons; R. W. Miller for the advocates of no license. The latter also will claim that the Board was not legally organized and did not meet, as per law, on the fourth Monday after notice of contest was filed.

Walter Grimes is charged with having knocked Ed Grace on the head, mortally wounding him at Paducah.

THE EARLY BIRD

GETS THE PICK

OF THE DAY!

New Spring Suits

NOW ON SALE, Men's

Youth's and Children....

COME AND SEE THEM,

THEY WILL PLEASE YOU,

PRICES ARE RIGHT.

NONE BETTER,

NONE CHEAPER.

Covington

& Mitchell.

ONLY A FEW

DAYS LONGER

STAY!

One-Fourth Off Clearing Sale

will last.

TAKE TIME

By the forelock if you want the

benefit of the One-Fourth

OFF

On all Heavy Goods such as

Suits, Overcoats, Shoes, Underwear, Hats, &c.

H. J. STRENG,

The Clothier, The Shoer, The Hatter, The Furnisher.

Articles incorporating the Sewer Pipe trust were filed at Trenton, N. J.

If your child is cross or peevish, it is no doubt troubled with worms. White's Cream Vermicide will remove the worms, and its tonic effect restore its natural cheerfulness. Price, 25 cents, sold by Perry & Thomas. mar1-1m

A private of the First Infantry committed suicide at Pinar del Rio, Cuba.

Digestion Dyspepsia Tablets strengthen the stomach and create a hearty appetite by insuring perfect digestion. All druggists sell them for 25 cents a box.

Our first offerings for the New Year will be nice yard-wide Bleached Cotton, no dressing 4c yard; Hope Bleached Cotton, London finish, 5c yard; Green Ticket London Bleached Cotton, 6c yard; fruit of the loom Bleached Cotton, 6c yard; Massville Bleached Cotton, 6c yard; best 10-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheet, 15c yard; good 10-4 Unbleached Sheet, 12c yard; good yard-wide Brown Cotton, 3½c yard; nice Sea Island yard-wide Brown Cotton, 4c yard; AAA Trion Mills Brown Cotton, 4½c yard.

Customers are not limited as to the quantity of their purchase. We have our ware rooms full of all kinds of domestic goods and as long as these special prices are named on them customers can buy what they want.

We will offer good calicoes at 3½c; American indigo blue calico, 4c; new red calicoes, best brands, 4c; American shirtings, new styles, 3½c; Simpson's black and mourning prints, 3c.

Ladies, Our line of Embroideries will certainly entertain you for an hour or two. Call and see them.

Our great line of Carpets, Mattings, Linoleums, Oilcloths, Rugs, Lace Curtains and Oil Shades was never more complete. We have no carried over goods in these lines. They are all fresh and new, new styles, new patterns, new prices. We are naming prices on these lines that is a death blow to all competition. Call and inspect this line before you purchase.

We have just received a new lot of American Lady and Featherbone Corsets. These are the most comfortable fitting corsets shown to the trade. Try one.

We have some special good things in Ladies Jackets and Caps left that we are closing out at just one half the original price. If interested call and see them.

We are showing some special good things in Table Linens and quoting special prices on them for a short time. If interested ask to see this line when you come in.

We have just placed on sale the largest line of Hamburgs, Laces, and Embroideries, ever shown, in the city. This line contains all the new things in Namag Embroideries, Jacnet Embroideries, Swiss Embroideries, match sets of all kinds, hand and machine made Laces of all kinds. Our buyers have made a specialty of this line and nothing has been left undone to make this department one of the most important factors in our immense business.

We wish to call your attention to the fact that all prices named on Bleached Cottons and all domestic are subject to change without notice, so take advantage of this opportunity. Buy your spring cottons while you can get extremely low prices on them.

We are showing some special good things in Table Linens and quoting special prices on them for a short time. If interested ask to see this line when you come in.

We are Agents for the "Topsy" Brand of Hosiery. Ask to see them when you come in.

All winter goods have felt the keen edge of our cold steel and prices have been made on winter Boots and Shoes, winter Overcoats and Clothing, Blankets and Comforts, Flannels, etc., that is bound to move the entire lot. Get our prices on all lines of winter goods before purchasing.

We Have Just Unloaded A Car Load of Drunks Traveling Bags and Valises. Very low prices will be put on them.

The latest things in Wash Goods of all kinds will be shown by us in season. You don't have to go the larger cities to buy what you want. We will show during the year 1899 a stock not surpassed nor equalled in any of the larger cities. Give us a call. Satisfy yourselves before going elsewhere. And again wishing you a prosperous New Year and thanking you for past patronage, we are very respectfully,

-W. D. OLDHAM & COMPANY.-

RICHMOND, MT. STERLING AND GEORGETOWN

Scrofula, salt rheum and all diseases caused by impure blood are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is America's Greatest Medicine.

Patients were called in to prevent fast fighting on the floor of the Colorado House.

CUBAN RELIEF cures Cuts, Bruises, Toothache and Summer Complaints. Price, 25 cents. Sold by Perry & Thomas, successors to W. G. White.

A project is on foot in Paducah to build a large infirmary to cost \$25,000.

To insure a happy new year, keep the liver clear and the body vigorous by using Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers the famous little pills for constipation and liver troubles. Douglas & Wells.

Natural gas continues to be a burning issue in the Indiana explosive bill.

Tetter, Salt-Rheum and Eczema. The intense itching and smarting caused by these diseases is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples; chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites and chronic sore eyes. 25 cents per box.

Dr. Cady's Condition Powders are just what you need when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge. They are not food but medicine and have in use put a horse in prime condition. Price 50 cents per package.

Three more deaths from meningitis are reported from Henderson county.

A Neglected Cold is an all embracing cause of disease. It clogs the lungs with mucus. It strains and breaks down the lung tissues. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is an unfailing cure for coughs and colds. It rebuilds the tissues and gives strength to the lungs by supplying the blood with fortifying oxygen. 25c at all good druggists.

A strike of coal miners in East Tennessee will be ordered next week, unless wages are raised.

These are dangerous times for the health. Croup, colds and throat troubles lead rapidly to Consumption. A bottle of One Minute Cough Cure used at the right time will preserve life, health and a large amount of money. Pleasant to take, children like it. Douglas & Wells.

The Japanese Government is said to have seized 20,000 stands of arms and ammunition intended for Aguinaldo.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This remedy is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and influenza. It has become famous for its cures of these diseases, over a large part of the civilized world. The most flattering testimonials have been received, giving accounts of its good effects, and of the dangerous attacks of croup it has cured, often saving the life of the child. The extensive use of it for whooping cough has shown that it cures that disease of all dangerous consequences. Sold by Perry & Thomas. mar1-1m

Planters CUBAN OIL cures Cuts, Bruises, Toothache, Rheumatism and Sore, Price, 25 cents. Sold by Perry & Thomas, successors to W. G. White.

William Reid, aged ten years, was crushed to death by a falling tree near Greenville.

Used Several Kinds.

"When my boy was seven years old he had scrofula which effected his head and caused discharges from his ears. We used several kinds of medicine without much benefit until we began giving him Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine proved effective and the boy is now entirely well." H. C. Davis, Big Hill, Ky.

Hood's Pills are non-irritating and the only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Respt., H. H. COLYER, Sheriff. mch3-4w

La Grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Sherrill, publisher of the cultural Journal and Advertiser, Eldon, Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using One Minute Cough Cure. It is La Grippe." Pleasant to take, quick to act. Douglas & Wells.

The Senate passed the Evans Outage Bill and Mr. Evans is expected to rush it through the House.

Best of All is the forerunner to consumption. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey was cured in, and give such strength to the lungs that a cough or cold will not settle there. 25 cents at all good druggists. It is La Grippe. Pleasant to take, quick to act. Douglas & Wells.

House and Senate conferees reached an agreement on the River and Harbor Bill.

Lung Irritation is the forerunner to consumption. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey was cured in, and give such strength to the lungs that a cough or cold will not settle there. 25 cents at all good druggists. It is La Grippe. Pleasant to take, quick to act. Douglas & Wells.

It comes from New York that the Southern has secured control of the Air Line.

A foul breath is one of the greatest afflictions that man or woman can have. An affliction not only to themselves, but to those with whom they come in contact. A foul breath is a great discourager of affection. It would probably be more so if people only realized that it is a sign of the system of constipation. Some of the other symptoms are sour stomach, loss of appetite, sick and bilious headaches, dizziness, heartburn and distress after eating. These things mean indigestion. They lead to dyspepsia and worse things. They all start with constipation, and constipation is inexcusable because it can be cured—cured easily, quickly and permanently, by the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They give to nature just the little help that she needs. There is no case of biliousness, constipation, indigestion, "heartburn," or any of the rest of the nightmarish brood, that these little "Pellets" will not cure.

Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page Common Sense Medical Advice illustrated.

Mrs. Jessie Workman was burned to death at her home, near Louisa.

MARCH AND THE LION.

Something Better Than The Old Saw. The saying about the lion and the lamb in March often proves false, but there is another and a better one which is literally true. When March comes in and finds you taking Hood's Sarsaparilla to purify, enrich and vitalize your blood, you may expect, when it goes out, that it will leave you free from that tired feeling and with more of the body, spirit and erupions which manifest themselves because of impure blood in the spring. If you have not already begun taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for your spring medicine, we advise you to begin today. We assure you it will make you feel better all through the coming summer.

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